Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company
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Department's First Set of Information Requests

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During the period of Unitil's ownership in Enermetrix, did Unitil write down all or any portion of that investment? If so, provide the amount and date of each write-down.

## Response:

Unitil Corporation recorded a write-down of its investment in Enermetrix in the fourth quarter of 2001. Unitil Corporation recorded its investment in Enermetrix at cost (Total = \$5.5 million). Unitil Corporation recorded a charge of \$3.7 million to recognize the decrease in the fair value of its investment in Enermetrix in the fourth quarter of 2001. This was the only write-down of its investment in Enermetrix recorded by Unitil Corporation. In April 2002, Unitil Corporation sold its entire investment in Enermetrix.

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